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Birds That Make Queer Noises The bellbird, or campanere, which is

found in South America and also in Africa, can be heard at a distance of three miles. Its note is like the tolling of a distant church bell and is uttered during the heat of the day, when every other bird has ceased to sing and na-Hon. W. C. Raiston ture is hushed and silent. How the belibird utters this deep, loud note is Hon. R. C. Rust not known, though it is supposed that a fleshy protuberance on its head, which when inflated with air stands up like a horn, is in some way the cause of it.

The hornbill, a bird which is widely distributed in India, the Malay archipelago and Africa, has also a very loud note. Its call has been described as between the shriek of a locomotive and the bray of a donkey and can be heard a distance of about a couple of miles. The barking bird also utters a very loud note; indeed, it is impossible to distinguish it from the bark of a dog. M. Newman Its English name, says Darwin, is well given, for I defy any one at first to feel certain that a small dog is not yelping somewhere in the forest. The toucan has also the same peculiarity.

The quite erroneous idea that Welsh

is a language of consonants probably arises from the number of w's it contains, according to a Welshman in the London News. "W" in Welsh is generally-and always between two consonants-a pure vowel, sounded like "oo" in English. Thus "cwm" is pronounced "koom," rhyming with "boom," What is really one of the most remark able features about the Welsh language is the number of vowels which can come together. In English three vowels in succession are not often met with. In Welsh it is not uncommon to find four or five-e. g., in "llywiawdwr" (governor). Here each of the five vowels "ywiaw" is pronounced separately in rapid succession. Here are four lines, consisting entirely of vowels, made by Goronwy Owen in the eighteenth century:

O'i wiw wy a weuae, Ieuau o ia, ai e ly? Ai o au weuau a we A'i au i wau ei we wyw?

"If we cannot all have a piazza, every one may feel the sun," says an Italian proverb which is characteristic of

that patient, cheerful race. But, after all, it is the exceptional life which has not in it much of the sunshine. There is always gloom for those who wish to dwell in shadow, but an effort of the will often carries one out of that morbid desire into the clear-

er, sunnier mood. Difficulties and troubles, if bravely met, make strong men and women, but endless worry and anticipation of evil cannot fail to weaken the will and the

Laugh and be glad now, today. If you wait till you conquer your little world, you will never laugh and be glad. It is better to live in a castle in the air than in the dungeons we allow our low spirits and forebodings to build

The trajectory of a thing is the path of a bullet or anything else passing through the air from the gun to the place where it strikes. Generally the word is applied only to bullets and cannon balls. In shooting at an object near at hand you aim point blank, because the bullet practically reaches the target before it falls at all, but when you fire at a distant object you must aim above it, so that the bullet may The desire of every marksman is to get a trajectory as flat as possible, so that the bullet shall have no need of falling very far. A flat trajectory is obtained by increasing the speed of the bullets, by diminishing their size and increasing the powder charge.

The Monkey's Reasoning Powers The monkey's intelligence has never been able to arrive at a point which enables that animal to achieve the untying of a knot. You may tie a monkey with a cord fastened with the simplest form of common knot, and unless the beast can break the string or gnaw it in two he will never get loose. To untie the knot requires observation and reasoning power, and, though a monkey may possess both, he has neither in a sufficient degree to enable him to overcome the difficulty.

King Solomon and His Lady Friends. A little girl tells what she knows about King Solomon in the following essay: "King Solomon was a man who lived ever so many years ago, and in the country in which he governed he was the whole push. King Solomon SINGLE AND DOUBLE HARNESS built Solomon's temple and was the father of all the Masons. He had 700 wives and 200 lady friends, and that is why there are so many Masons in the world."-Saxby's Magazine.

> Craft Wins. "How did you ever manage to get on the good side of that crusty old uncle of yours?" asked Fan.

"Fed him the things he liked when he came to visit us," replied Nan. "The good side of any man is his inside."— Chicago Tribune.

One of the First. "This is a petrified man," said Mrs. Fosdick, who was showing her husband the treasures of the museum. "His is the original marble heart, I suppose," was Fosdick's comment.

Senseless. Bragg-I was knocked senseless by a cricket ball two years ago. The Boy In the Corner-When does yer expeck ter get over it?-Glasgow

When death consents to let us live a long time, it takes successively as hostages all those we have loved.-Mme. Necker.

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Many stories have been written about mirages and delusions, but none has that of the Silent City mirage which wonderful mirage was made by the Indians, who would tell of the city which was built in the clouds. The mirage can be seen in the early part of July from 5 to 6 p. m. It rises from the side of the Pacific glacier. It first appears like a heavy mist and soon becomes clearer, and one can distinctly see the specter city, well defined streets and trees, tall spires and huge and odd shaped buildings which appear to be an cient mosques or cathedrals. It is a city which would seem to contain at least 25,000 or 30,000 inhabitants.

As yet no one has been able to iden tify it, although several have claimed to recognize the place. There is no city like it in Alaska, nor in any country about it for thousands of miles. Some claim it is a city in Russia, others say it is a city in England, but none can tell where and what it is. The mirage was given the name of Silent City, as it appears to one like a dead city. There is nothing that would indicate that it is inhabited.

Good Breeding.

The most potent factor of good breed ing, the prime element, the first principle, is nothing more or less than a condensation of the Golden Rule-un selfishness, kindness of heart. Nothing else can ever gain superiority over this great and noble trait of character, and without this no person can possess real refinement, perfect dignity and truly good breeding. Nothing can supply its loss, and nothing can buy its possession. Unselfishness is inherent, innate and inborn. It is a mysterious something that cannot well be defined and yet may be found in the poorest and humblest as well as in the loftiest and noblest of all God's creatures.

Good breeding is plainly a matter of instinct, an inborn possession that is one of the greatest of treasures. Many possess it, but a great many more fail to attain it through lack of the necessary qualities essential to its acquist tion.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

A Foible of the Great Rachel. "Look at the presents Rachel, the great actress, made to every one," say the panegyrists. They forget to men tion that an hour afterward she regret ted her generosity, and from that moment she never left off scheming how to get the thing back. Every one knew this. Beauvallet, to whom she gave a magnificent sword one day, instead of thanking her said. "I'll have a chain put to it, mademoiselle, so as to fasten it to the wall of my dressing room. In that way I shall be sure that it will not disappear during my absence."

Alexandre Dumas the younger, to whom she made a present of a ring, bowed low and placed it back on her finger at once. "Allow me to present it to you in my turn, mademoiselle, so as to prevent you asking for it." She did not say nay, but carried the matter with one of her fascinating smiles .-An Englishman In Paris.

Sacred Teeth. Teeth of all kinds have been wor shiped and are, in fact, venerated as relics in some religious shrines. Buddha's tooth is preserved in an Indian temple, the Cingalese worship the tooth of a monkey, while the elephant's and shark's teeth serve a similar purpose among the Malabar and Tonga islanders respectively. The Siamese were have room to fall and yet hit the object. formerly the possessors of the tooth of a sacred monkey, which they valued very highly, but in a war with the Portuguese they lost the holy grinder and had to pay \$3,500,000 to get it back again. It is now kept in a small gold box, inclosed in six other boxes, in one of the many temples of the Siamese capital.

What the Editor Advised. An authoress of some note in her day once asked a famous editor to give his

opinion on a book which she intended to publish. In her letter she said: "If the work is not up to the mark, I beg you will tell me so, as I have other irons in the fire, and should you think this not likely to succeed I can bring out something else." Having read over several pages of

the manuscript, the editor returned it with the following brief remark: "Madam, I would advise you to put this where your irons are."

The Modern Enoch Arden-Well, it is a little more than twenty years since I went away, and now I find that you have married and buried two husbands during my absence from home. Mrs. Arden-Three, not two, Enoch.

that none of 'em mended the garden gate that was broken when I left. Heviwayte-I thought of a very funny joke in my sleep last night, but when I woke up somehow it was as flat as a pancake.

Enoch Arden-Ah, well! They must

have been a pretty poor lot. I notice

Litewayte-No wonder. I suppose you slept on it. It Was On. Mistress-I told you half an hour ago to turn on the gas in the parlor, Bridg-Bridget-Sure, an' I did, mum. Don'

Dangerous. The Maid-Shall I dust the bric-abrac. mum? The Mistress-Not today, Nora. don't think we can afford it.

yez shmell it?-London Fun.

Hoax-I just heard some news that seems too good to be true. Joax-That's too bad. - Philadelphia

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One of the signs of pneumonia is the rrackling note that comes through the stethoscope. It is not unlike the sound that can be heard when your fingers and thumb have touched a sticky substance and you first place them together and then part them, holding them close to your ear.

Doctors occasionally hear a dripping ound, and that indicates that air and water have got into some part of the where they have no right to be. Blow across a bottle and you will produce a sound which is actually to be heard in your chest. It is caused in the same way-that is, by air passing over

The Growth of the Acorn. The acorn is the fruit of the oak. The seed germ is a very small object at the pointed end of the acorn, with the future root uppermost. The acorn drops, and its contents doubtless undergo important molecular and chemical changes while it lies under winter covering of leaves or snow. In the mild warmth of spring the acorn swells, the little root elongates, emerges from the end of the shell and, no matter what the position of the acorn. turns downward. The root penetrates the soil two or three inches before the stalk begins to show itself and grow upward. The "meat" of the acorn nourishes both root and stalk, and two years may pass before its store of food is entirely exhausted.

At the end of a year the young oak has a root twelve to eighteen inches long, with numerous shorter rootlets the stalk being from six to eight inches high. In this stage it differs from the tree. To watch these transformations under the lens is a fascinating occupa

Some of Jerrold's Wit. Douglas Jerrold, the playwright, once complained of the inferior company that was performing one of his plays at the Haymarket theater, in London. 'Why, there's V.," said the manager protesting. "He was bred on these "He looks as if he had been cut out of them," growled Jerrold. The playwright was always very

nervous on a "first night." Anothe dramatist, popularly supposed to "lift" his plots and situations from the French assured him that he did not know the meaning of nervousness on such an oc casion. "I can quite understand that," the wit said pleasantly; "your piece have always been tried before." "Call that a kind man," said an ac tor, speaking of an acquaintance wh

was abroad -"a man who is away from

his family and never sends them a far-

thing! Call that kindness!" "Certain

ly," said Jerrold; "unremitting kind-Where Ruth Got Her Information "How did Columbus get the money to equip his ships and pay other expense of his expedition?" asked the teacher. A little girl raised her hand, and the teacher, noting the eager, animated face, said, "Tell us, Ruth." And Ruth

arose and answered in loud, clear tones: "Queen Isabella of Spain hocked he jewels, and her husband, King Ferdinand, stopped smoking for a week!" With twitching lips and a twinkle in her eye the teacher said:

tion, Ruth?" And the small maiden re-"From Bill Nye's 'History of the United States.' "-New York Tribune.

"Where did you get your informa-

Ant Strength.

An English scientist recently weighed a small ant and a dead grasshopper which it was dragging to its nest. The weight of the grasshopper was found to be sixty times greater than that of the ant. The force exerted by the ant in dragging the grasshopper along the road was therefore proportionately equal to that of a man weighing 150 pounds pulling a load of four and onehalf tons or a horse of 1,200 pounds a load of thirty-six tons.

Caste In England.

The millstone hanging to the neck of English industry is labeled "Caste." Caste frowns upon work as a vulgar necessity; caste bars trade from the oc cupations a gentleman may follow caste places birth above ability; caste holds the world's prizes out of reach of the lowly born.-London Magazine of Commerce.

The Real Need. "I'd like to have some good old fash ioned home cooking," said the ma with a permanent sour expression "What you mean," said the physician "Is that you would like to have the digestion that you had when you were

boy."-Washington Star. Didn't Need It. "Have you given Mr. Staleight any encouragement?" asked the impatient

"No, mamma," replied the confident daughter. "So far I haven't found it necessary." Still Undone.

Wife-A woman's work is never done.

Husband-You have anticipated me.

dear. That shirt of mine still lacks its

needed buttons .- Richmond Disnatch

No man is a failure because he says what he thinks. The failure comes when a man thinks of the wrong thing to say.—Boston Christian Register.

Harduppe-Say, old man, I believe we you an apology. Freeman-Well, I've heard it called a V, a fiver, a finuf plunks and five bones, but never an apology before!

A Strong Hint.

man has an ambition to be managing editor of a 240 pound man.—Pittsburg Poverty is a grindstone on which many wits are sharpened. - Chicago

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then approach, put their forest treas

The Time to Do the Counting. In the old days of impetuous warfare caution was not regarded as so much a virtue on the part of a military commander as at present. In a battle be tween French and Austrians, in which Marshal Bugeaud commanded the French forces, an officer of the staff said to the marshal: "The enemy are advancing. Shall I send a party to reconnoiter and see how numerous they "No," said Bugeaud; "we'll count 'em after we've beaten 'em."

A Natural Ambition. Clergyman (patronizingly)-Well, my ittle man, what would you like to be when you grow up? Johnny-A clergyman, sir.

Clergyman-Now tell me why you ould like to be a clergyman, my boy. Johnny (unabashed)-Because, sir, all the ladies would make a fuss over me and get out all the best things to eat when I came to see them.

"You know that Griggs and I both day?" "A choice, indeed! When I do make a choice, you can rest assured that it will not interest you!"

"Thanks! I'll tell Griggs."-Exchange.

His Strong Point.

The Obliging Friend

"Some people say, you know," remarked the spaniel, "that when human beings die they take the form of ani-"Well, if I was ever a human being," replied the cat, "I must have been a

bird fancier."-Philadelphia Press. "I just asked Mrs. Nouveau-Riche if she enjoyed Venice, and what do you

"Give it up." "That they only stayed one night, as the streets were flooded and people had to go about in boats."

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this to give the Kubus a chance to re turn and consider the bargain. After many withdrawals, approaches, gong beatings, etc., an understanding is arrived at, and each party carries away its bargain. This remarkable race knows nothing of a supreme being, heaven, hell or evil demons. They have

bugs, grubs, etc. The Creation of the Camel. There is an Arab tradition cited in Burton's "Gold Mines of Midian" regarding the creation of the camel which illustrates the popular but erroneous opinion that this animal is ugly

in form and temper.

no system of marriage and never bury

their dead. They live on snakes, ants,

The story goes that when Allah determined to create the horse he called the south wind and said, "I desire to draw from thee a new being; condense thyself by parting with thy fluidity.' The Creator then took a handful of this element, blew upon it the breath of life and the noble quadruped appeared. But the horse complained against his Maker His neck was too short to reach the distant grass blades on the march; his back had no hump to steady a saddle; his hoofs were sharp and sank deep into the sand, and he added

many similar grievances. Whereupon Allah created the camel to prove the foolishness of his complaint. The horse shuddered at the sight of what he wanted to become, starts when meeting its caricature for the first time.

Irene's Opportunity. Willie-What makes you come to our house so often, Mr. Hankinson? Do you want to marry our Irene? Miss Irene (taken by surprise, but realizing with rare presence of mind that Mr. Hankinson has to say something now)-Willie, you impertinent

boy, leave the room!

Usually the opportunities that come to a man are those that knock on his door on a cold morning and he has to The time to treat consump- go out in his bare feet and coax in.-

> Conceited. Phyllis-Harry is the most conceited man I ever met.

Maud-What makes you think so?

Phyllis-Why, he first asserts that I

am the most adorable woman in the then he wants me to marry him! Nodd-Every time I go on a vacation I swear I'll never take another. Topp-Why don't you stick to it?

Nodd-Because every time I stay at home I vow I'll never do it again .-Brooklyn Life. Nobody likes an overture very well, but band and orchestra leaders continue to play them because it is custom

The Plea That Failed. "Well," said one undergraduate to another, "did your father send you that extra remittance that you asked for?" "Not any. He gave me the marble heart." "So you asked for rocks and got a

The Dear Children. "Nobody ought ever to undertake to be a schoolteacher who doesn't love "Oh, but I did love children until

after I became a teacher of them."

stone, eh?"

A newly married couple sauntered

capitol at Washington trying hard to appear unconscious. Stopping on one of the echo stones to gaze at a new statue they were spied by two youthful pages looking for a joke. One of the pages hurried to another echo stone and in a whisper asked, "When did you get married?" The couple looked at each other and then all around the hall but could discern no one. The bride blushed and the young man looked miserable. Presently again came the mysterious question, "When did you get married?" Awe stricken and looking extremely foolish, they fled from the hall, to the intense amusement of the mischievous pages.-Argonaut.

Roman Sausages.

The Romans were very much addict ed to sausages made at Lucania. The meat used was pork and a good quantity of bacon, pounded in a mortar, with pepper, cumin, winter savory and moistened with garum, to which been pointed out that the Romans when they used breadcrumbs took care that the bread should be of the very finest kind and that before it was mingled with the sausage meat it should be soaked in wine. This was a most sensible precaution against the contingency of the bread passing through a sour stage of fermentation, in which case it would be undeniably unwhole-

Flaw In the Reasoning. Mr. and Mrs. Chuckster were engaged in one of their frequent argu-

"Now. Amanda, see here"-"Get that right, Oliver," she interrupted. "The proper form, as you will see if you think a moment, is 'look "What's the difference?" he demand-

ed. "You can't look without seeing. can you?" "Oh, yes, you can. Everybody says you and I look alike, but it's a notorious fact that we don't see alike."-Chicago Tribune.

Not a Dagger. Some strolling Thespians were once playing "Macbeth" in a country town. Their properties were not kept in very systematic order, for when the hero of Shakespeare's drama exclaimed, "Is that a dagger that I see before me?" a

shrill voice responded from the "flies."

"No, sir. It's the putty knife. The

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep us posted concerning events of public interest happening in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social topics, new buildings, persons leaving or coming into the county, are always acceptable. Give details of important items, no matter in how rough a shape. Avoid personal remarks that might give offense. Visitors between towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

CALIFORNIA MINE OPERATORS ASSOCIATION. The organization of the mine owners of California for mutual pro tection and support is the natural result of the conditions which have prevailed along the mother lode of this and other counties for the past year. This organization is entirely distinct from the California Miners Association which has been in existence in this state for so many years. It is different not only in its membership material, but also in its object and aims. The old association is merely for an exchange of views, to promote the mining industry generally, by suggestions regarding necessary changes in the law, and an interchange of ideas concerning advanced mining methods. It is to endeavor to keep abreast of the times in the rapidly onward march of mining methods. Its membership is not confined to mineowners. Mine workers and any and all persons engaged directly or indirectly in the business of mining were welcome to its ranks. The new organization, if we gauge its meaning correctly, is on a different plane. Its membership is to be confined to mine owners, and those representing the actual owners. "Self preservation is said to be the highest law of nature." This is true not alone in the physical world, but in financial and business matters also. It is in response to this universal law that the combine of mine employers has been entered upon. For more than a quarter of a century past the mother lode region has enjoyed peace and amity between mine owners and mine workers. There had been no friction between forces of capital and muscle. Everything went along smoothly and harmoniously, and the great industry flourished. But over a year ago a disturbing factor appeared in the shape of professional labor agitators, bent on forming the underground toilers into labor unions affiliated with the Western Federation of Miners. The Ledger at that time, with no uncertain voice. pointed out the impolicy of listening

please the caprices of office-holders to these apostles of mischief. Such or legislators. How the question a course had brought ruin and discan be referred back to the people tress before; it was bound to be of Amador county in the off-hand productive of evil again if pressed manner suggested by our cotemto its ultimate issue. The moveporary is something that we cannot ment would be interpreted by the understand. employers as a challenge to a trial of strength; would breed distrust In Illinois steps are being taken to and suspicion, where only conpractically test the value of the fidence should exist. Unions were proposition of consolidating a numorganized, masked and labeled as ber of neighboring school districts, the messengers of good will and so and paying for the transportation forth, for the purpose of gaining a of pupils to and from a centrally foothold. All the same their true located school house. It is believed intent could not be concealed. The nuch better results will be secured movement was originated to foment by one strong school, employing a trouble; to readjust matters of hours number of teachers, than to have a and wages in the mines. Relying number of schools employing one or upon the power of concerted action, at most two teachers. The same inflammatory talk was indulged in thing has been suggested in Caliand firebrand articles were published. fornia. It is probable that the sav-True, those adopting these methods ing in teachers' salary and the cost were not representative men; they of maintaining a number of school had no property interests at stake buildings, would more than reto speak of. Nevertheless their pay the expense of the transportaactions tended to unsettle things. tion of the children from the remote Now the mine owners have started parts of the districts to the schoola protective organization. It is not house. Anyway Illinois is about to to fight the labor unions; not to try the plan, and the experiment make aggressive warfare upon em will be watched with interest watched with interest make aggressive warfare upon emthroughout the United States. ployes whether union men or not. It is an alliance for mutual protec-

the rights of the employers in detail.

cording to their own notions and to

employ whomsoever they please,

without dictation or coercion. If we

have gauged the spirit of this new-

born organization aright we regard

it as a step in the right direction;

one that cannot fail to have a

salutary effect in reestablishing con-

fidence and the revival of mining

PROBATION LAW.

A radical departure in criminal

practice has been made by the pro-

bation bill passed by the late legis-

.ature. It provides that after a

a plea or verdict of guilty, the court

is empowered in the exercise of its

discretion, to suspend sentence

upon a prisoner over 16 years of

age, and place the offender under

activity all along the lode.

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the county. The "necessary ex-

treasury. Experience will tell.

THE NEW BALLOT LAW.

The Belshaw ballot bill has been

signed by the governor. Its princi-

pal provision is that a straight

column. It also allows the voter to

stamp in the circle, and to make

crosses opposite the names of can-

didates in other columns, the can-

didates so voted for taking the

places of those for the same offices

The "no nomination" muddle is

woided by simply crowding up the

ticket where a full set of candidates

has not been named, thus leaving

no room for an elector to vote for

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on the same ticket for the same

office, the title of the office must be

printed in the space given to each

candidate's name, thus doing away

with such mistakes as occurred last

November in voting for justices of

The Amador Record is not pre-

pared to express an opinion on the

question of whether the present in-

titled to draw salary under the law

prefers to relegate that knotty

problem to the people. The Ledger

has been laboring under the im-

pression that the majority of the

people had already voiced their ver-

dict on that proposition; that their

verdict is embodied in that instru-

ment which is called the state con

stitution; that this declaration is

the supreme law of the state, and

cannot be wantonly set aside to

in the voter's party column.

any but actual candidates.

the supreme court.

ticket may be voted by stamping a payers in this way will be tolerated

difierence between two successive years. The main cause of this heavy increase is the levy of a tax last year far too low to meet the running expenses, thereby throwing the burden of that year upon the future. The present administration is anxious to place the state finances on a payas-you-go basis, and hence the levy of the high rate partly to make up for the deficiency of the preceding years. The rate for next year is estimated at 60 cents. With 27 cents added to the total property tax in Amador county for 1902, we Property in Jackson Gate; \$635.50 one tracted from evil associations. The have \$2.22 as the prospective rate year, 8 per cent. probation law is expected to save for the current year. With addimany a youth from this danger. tional expenses provided under the The spirit of this sweeping departure laws just passed by the legislature s commendable. If the law is not an additional tax of 10 cents will be abused, it bids fair to work a derequired, provided of course these sirable reform. One peculiar feature laws are permitted to become about it is that the probation officer operative during the present official receives no salary or compensation term. This would add another ten for his services, except that his eents to the tax rate. The outlook tificate of sale as commissioner, 160 necessary expenses must be paid by therefore is promising that the property holders of this county will have penses" is where the possibility of to face a stiffer tax rate this year a little joker finding a lodging place than they have known for many comes in. It may prove another years, unless the levy on some of pipe line laid to tap the county the county tunds can be materially reduced. The only reduction that is at all practicable is on the road

THE TAX RATE.

The state tax has been fixed at 65

cents on \$100 for 1903. This is an

increase over last year's rate of 27

cents. Such a jump is we believe

without a parallel in the history of

the state. There have been years

when the rate has been greater, but

never has there been such a marked

cross in the circle at the top of the by the managing board.

tax. The special road tax might be

reduced somewhat, and perhaps the

regular road tax also, but it is not

probable that any relief of the tax-

HIGH SCHOOL LAW. The tacking on of the high schools to the state educational system is giving birth to a good deal of worri- and healthfulness. ment to educators. How the plan will work out in practice is a problem only to be solved by time. The law provides for a tax of one and a half cents on all assessable property for high schools. This is supposed to raise sufficient money to allow \$15 per head for average daily attendance of high school pupils. A school must be maintained for not less than 180 days each year. We assume this means school days, which will give an eight months' course each year. At \$15 per head, this will cost nearly \$2 per head per month for each pupil. That this is a pretty steep price for tuition, whether primary, high school or university course, no one will dispute. No wageearner could afford to educate a cumbents of the offices of justices of family of children on such high grade the peace and constables are en- basis. It is far more than tuition passed by the late legislature. It in the state. But with this munificent provision, it is a debateable question whether the law is adequate. Take Amador county for an example. The average attendance at the Ione academy is, say about 30. This is probably more than the

district dependent upon Ione could furnish of grammar grade graduates. If that academy were turned into a high school under the state law, and continued as now the only school of that grade in the county, it might command a higher attendance. It is extremely doubtful, however, if under such favorable conditions the average attendance would exceed 50. Taking this as a liberal allowance, at \$15 per head, this would give a revenue from the state for the support of the school of \$750. For this sum an eight months' school must be maintained, with not less than two teachers. We have not seen the full text of the law, but any one can see that such a sum is utterly inadequate. We presume the balance of the money necessary to maintain the school would have to come from a special tax upon the property of the high school district. A per capital of \$30 would hardly meet the total requirements. Is it surprising that some uneasiness begins to crop out as to where this law will land us. Can the sparsely settled counties organize under it so as to receive the benefit of the state aid? If not, the practical result will be that the districts which were intended to be benefitted by this

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The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to ter Creek, set apart for benefit of E. B. Hunsaker to Mrs. M. F. Hall-

Estate of James Fassero-Order made granting administratrix permission to mortgage premises at Jackson Gate. Estate of George Harville—Lorenzo W. P. Peek to Lily Love-Lot in Marre appointed administrator. People vs. J. J. Ekel-Defendant sentenced to pay a fine of \$50, or serve

a term of 25 days in jail.

Estate of Geo. T. Joyce—Leota Joyce petitions for letters of administration. Volcano mining district; the value of the same being unknown. The heirs at law are the petitioner, widow of de-ceased, and a father, Fred B. Joyce. April 4 has been appointed for hearing said petition. Thos. C. Molloy of San Francisco is attorney

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REED-OATES.—In Amador City, March 1903, Leonard Reed to Miss Annie Oates, bot 1903, Leonard Re of Amador City.

DIED.

GRIESBACH—At Butte, near Jackson, March 20, 1903, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clay-bourn F. Griesbach, aged 12 days. RULE—Near Upper Rancheria, March 21, 1903 Dixon H. Rule, aged 73 years. THOMS-In Plymouth, March 10, 1903, Edmur Thoms, aged 25 years, 11 months and 7 day a native of California.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert S. Triggs, of Volcano; John Carver, of Pine Grove; Lawrence McKenzie, of Defender; Charlie P. Jordan, of Sutter Creek.

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Lemons, oranges, and bananas cor antly on hand at Caminetti's Mkt. W. F. Detort, superintendent of the ila, returned from San Francisco vestigating the merits of the wheel for

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Spagnoli returned m San Francisco last Sunday, after enced cyclist. He left Stockton Mon joving a pleasant visit with relatives day afternoon, and calculated to reach Jackson by nightfall, 50 miles. The trip to Clements—13 miles—was made

An elegant assortment of applique in 35 minutes. From here he traveled mmings can be found at Redlick's. the road by Wild Goose valley, and St. Augustine's church-Divine serce will be held Sunday evening next, Tuesday morning he started for Jacking the fifth Sunday in the month. Son. He made Dufrene's station—four rvice 7:30.

Mrs. F. Simcich left last Thursday San Francisco, being called thither to ride the machine further. account of the serious illness of on a freight wagon. It reached here about five o'clock, and was the attrac-

No headache, no gastritis, follows the of "Jesse Moore" pure whisky. It s one good. There is none other to R. Renno arrived in Jackson from city on Friday evening, and the It is perfectly safe. In muddy roads,

lowing day went on to Electra. ere he will be employed for the andard Electric Company. he establishment of a new bank in Wednesday. ockton is talked of, with John

ggio, the well known stage line pro etor, as president. The capital ck is placed at \$300,000. he raffle of the dwelling house near ottsville, belonging to Mrs. Billings, examined for insanity. She was ex-

take place at Chinn's saloon on nday evening next, March 29. All ders of tickets are invited to be ple and choir have invited St.

rustine's surplice choir of Jackson itation has been accepted, and the ir intends to visit them shortly ve in a few days. See them before ing your new spring hat. Always

best hat for holding shape, and tunate victim was committed to the ry hat guaranteed. Jackson Shoe rs. Max Ladar, who was called to Francisco suddenly last week on She was taken back to Plymouth Mon-

ipt of a message that her mother, day afternoon, and the following morn-Axelrod, was dangerously ill, re- ing Mr. Thoms took her to Carbondale ed home this week. She left Mrs. lrod on the road to recovery, and of danger nador Parlor No. 17 N S G W atter Creek, has elected the fol-

ng delegates to the Grand Parlor, ch meets in Bakersfield on April 27: Jarvis, F. M. Frakes. This paras also an aspirant for the position rand trustee in the person of C. E. is, a special committee having been ointed to use all honorable means cure his election.

ou don't want to miss seeing those oxfords at the Jackson Shoe Store. are right up-to-date in patent lot for the sum of \$160. Mr. Kuhlman

attempt at stage robbery. Deves Thacker and White-who have

for many years employed by s, Farro & Co. in detective worked the scene of the crime a few after the affair. They reached man who has distinguished himf late in the highway business in locino and other counties. Several things fastened this impression in minds-the caliber of the rifle one of them. They failed to find clew whatever other than what

ember that the patent kids are e go for the spring shoes. We new lines arriving daily. Get the at the Jackson Shoe Store

Echo man is troubled over an to the effect that brother Webl Ledger was "soaked" on ac of the departure of H. Unsworth, ollector and solicitor. It was such ce morsel for his mental palate he announces it in two places in st issue. The wish, however, is to the thought. If the Echo per centage of loss on subscribers lvertisers is no greater than the er's shortage on account of its late or, it can safely boast of being the uccessful collector in the newsline in America.

ing samples of cloth for men's made suits have been received M. Born & Co. by Redlick's, agents for Amador Co. For et fitting, best quality and lowest they have no equal. Satisfacuaranteed or you do not take the ents. No deposit required.

S. Sharp, a brother of Dr. Wm. a prominent physician of Jackearly days, was in town this occasion of the funeral of his He was surprised at the rful improvements that had place in town since his last visit. now a resident of Tonopah a, which he claims is one of the a, which he claims is one of the expected to-night. Those here are mainly from the organizations in Cala-

coast. It is, in his opinion, a veras and Tuolumne counties. A report is current that a convention of f Virginia in its palmy days. to-morrow, for the purpose of taking eing the day set by the court for such action as may be considered adment of the fine imposed upon assault, to which charge he the head men from Colorado are here. guilty. The fine was \$50, and Rumor has it that one of the demands nit of its payment was 10 o'clock to be made upon the mine owners is for morning. With the assistance an eight hour day for all underground work.

friends he scraped together the ary wherewith to settle the When he got to Jackson howhe was 50 per cent short. Failshow up at the appointed hour, neriff's office was instructed to debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lanim in tow. Some time thereafter t in an appearance about the which did me more good than all the house, and was promptly landed calaboose. Toward evening the kept my wife in excellent health for ealaboose. Toward evening the years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that clerk, and he was liberated, and

Motor Bievele

The first motor bicycle entered Jack-Butterick Patterns at Redlick's. son Tuesday. It was intended to reach here by its own motive power and mounted by a driver. But this arrange-Nothing will please an invalid as well ment fell through, owing to untoward conditions. A. H. Wright of Stockton is agent for the Mitchell Motor Cycle. as a package of those fancy cakes from Caminetti's Mkt. It is propelled by a small gasoline en C. W. Schacht, Dentist, Webb buildgine, of 21 horse power. It is claimed ing. Hours-9 to 12 a. m; 1 to 5 p. m. that it can be driven at a rate of 40 Saturdays 9 to 12 a. m; 1 to 4 p. m. miles an hour; a fair traveling gait is 20 miles per hour, or as speedy as a locomotive. C. A. Crame and Dr. Endicott were desirous of it siness considerations. So the agent arranged to send one up here, charge of Chas. Hackett, an experi

with numerous streamlets to delay him,

he managed to reach Ione at six o'clock.

ever, it commenced to rain, the road

told by the firm to continue the trip

which he did by shipping the concer

tion of the town. He could not show

it however in practical operation, and

this fact marred the prospects of a sale. It is claimed that a trip of ten miles

however, the wheels turn round the

same as locomotive wheels on greased

rails No sale was made in Jackson.

The machine was sent to Stockton

Committed for Insanity.

Mrs. Coloma G. Thoms was brought

her husband, Fred H. Thoms, to be

amined before the superior court by

Drs. E. E. Endicott and A. M. Gall.

From the evidence produced it seems

patient was a sufferer from brain fever.

The present attack of mental derange-

ment began two years ago, and has

gradually been getting worse. She de-

imagines she can't eat, and yet has a

good appetite; says she has obstruction

insane asylum at Napa. She is 52

years of age, a native of Indiana, and

has been in California since the age of

18 months. There has been no pre-

where they were met by sheriff Nor

liver his charge to the authorities of

To Move the M. E. Church

At a meeting of members and trustee

ing. A contract was entered into with A. H. Kuhlman to move the building A contract was entered into with

went to Sacramento early in the week,

the residence of Judge Rust a few feet

from its present location, preparatory to making extensive additions thereto.

Death of a Pioneer.

posited in the cemetery of that village.

The Foresters Entertain

Court Jackson 148, F. of A., enter-

tained their grand trustee, George

Reasoner, of Lodi, Thursday evening,

March 26th, at the I. O. O. F. hall

The following program was rendered:

Overture-By the Jackson orchestra.

Address of welcome-R. C. Bole. Violin solo — "Angel's serenade,"

Selection by the phonograph.

Overture-Jackson orchestra.

Song-"'Lesson in flirtation,"

Selection-Jackson orchestra.

Oda Ginocchio, Ora Angove, Marie Parker, and Della Martell.

Recitation—George Reasoner. Selection (from Martha) Henry Weil.

After the program an elaborate

supper was served, in which a large number of invited guests participated.

A. L. Coset has been selected for delegate, and John R. Avise elected as

the delegates will be held in Jackson

will be known in a few hours. Some of

Strikes A Rich Find.

with chronic indigestion and nervous

caster. N. H., No remedy helped me

until I began using Electric Bitters,

"I was troubled for several years

Monroe Weil.

man, who went on with

the rear and south

next week.

that when a girl of 15 years,

became sloppy, and it was impracticable

-in fifteen minutes. Here, how-

M. E. church services March 29-Sunday school, 10 a. m.; gospel services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. The Jackson baseball boys received their new uniforms this week. They are looking around for suitable grounds

Additional Locals.

near town for the coming season. The Novelty Company of vaudeville and moving pictures has been in Jackson all the week, exhibiting for the

past few days in the Penry building. The show will continue to-night and tomorrow. Admission 10 cents Oysters, frozen oysters, only 50c

can. Guaranteed to be fresh, and the same that are sold elsewhere for 60c and 75c, at Caminetti's Market.

Men's straw and crash hats have ar

C. C. Jensens, the expert optician, is back in Jackson, after a week's absence in Ione, Amador City and Plymouth. He will remain here for a few days The Angels Record says that W. P.

fisticuff business, if not in the news- expected to be found. paper line. Last week our local celebrity engaged in a glove contest in Angels with Jack Eby of that town, and put his man to sleep in the fifth over from Plymouth last Monday by

Richard Russel Smith the Stockton assayer writes: Don't buy a prospect, says from the few poorly made samples veloped a restlessness, with alternate periods of depression and excitement. She attempted suicide by trying to throw herself into a well recently; a good assayer will often cause you to of dollars. of the throat, and that she is going to

Ladies' oxfords for 25 and 50c a pair. lackson Shoe Store.

Dixon Hall Rule, an old and well- newly bonded claim at once. known pioneer of Amador county, died Saturday, after a long illness. The 18 months prior to his death. He number of his old-time friends follow-Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Thoms in this over-whelming affliction, following within a few days of the loss of a son by death. Redlick's.

Nabisco sugar wafers, sold only by Cassinelli, are unexcelled. Try them. You will eat no other. Large consign-

of the M. E. church last week, it was This Mark Means \$5\$ voted to proceed with the removal of to the erection of a new brick edifice, partly on the site of the present build-

for the Brown Shoe Co's. shoes. Redlick's are exclusive agents for Jackson. returned to the city Thursday. A. C. Barrett, who has been experimenting for several weeks with Buena Vista coal for the purpose of ascertain ing the comparative merits of wood and coal as fuel from an economical and made arrangements with experts in the house-building business to assist standpoint, says that in his opinion in this work. They will be here next Monday, with all the machinery and coal is fully 25 per cent cheaper than wood. It is more than probable that apparatus for this kind of work. At a considerable quantity of coal will be used at the hospital in future, for heatthe same time, it is intended to move

ing purposes if not for cooking. Our new line of men's Orthopedics have just arrived. See the new lasts onclusion that the robber is the lit is calculated to have both buildings for this season; patent kids are the in their new locations by the end of latest in men's goods. Jackson Shoe

> George Yager, the well known merchant of Ione, was mending fences on a place owned by him on the Ione road John G. Fisher, one of the pioneers last week. He was working in a tunof Amador county, died at the home of nel or open cut by the roadside as the the King's Daughters in Oakland on four-horse stage came along. Without March 22. He was taken to that insti-tution the week before from his home board with his shotgun, he thought he board with his shotgun, he thought he in Drytown, owing to the increasing would play a joke on the driver. Hold-infirmities of old age. He was one of the early settlers of Drytown, and not- he laughingly called to the driver to withstanding all the vicissitudes of the halt. He had scarcely uttered the miner's life in early days, he made Drytown his home continuously for the long period of 52 years. He was a sawed-off gun. He says he trembled widower, 85 years of age, and a native of Germany. The remains were forfrom head to foot. Fortunately he was of Germany. The remains were for-warded to Drytown, and the funeral took place Tuesday, remains being de-took place Tuesday, remains being derecognized by those on the stage in He will be careful not to run into that kind of danger hereafter.

See our three suit books; best and largest assortment of samples in town at the lowest price, and a good fit or money returned. No deposit required.

Jackson Shoe Store. An effort is being made to convert the Ione academy into a high school under the provisions of state law, so that it will share in the state tax of 12 cents on the \$100 levied for high schools. In order to bring it under the jurisdiction of the state, a high school district will have to be formed. The question must be submitted to the voters for approval. Not less than two teachers must be employed, a certain number of students enrolled, and a certain proportion of the expense must be borne by a special tax upon the property of the district comprising the school. The academy is now a private company. The members subscribed the necessary capital to start the school in proportion to the number of alternate to the grand court session at shares subscribed by each. A school He was here about 20 years ago Santa Cruz the first Tuesday in May. building has been erected, estimated to be worth about \$3000. In the event of a high school district being voted, the district would be expected to take the building off the hands of the owners, A number of representatives of labor unions from different parts of the state paying a fair sum therefor. The money are in Jackson to-day, and more are expected to-night. Those here are

Fell out of Bed.

J. W. Craighead, well known around ackson, was the victim of a peculiar what improved, but had not fully reaccident Tuesday night. He recently went to Electra, where he has been employed for a few days. During Tuesday night he rolled out of his bed or bunk, and fell a distance of fifteen feet. What injuries he sustained could not be ascertained at the time, but he was unable to stand. He was brought to Jackson and taken to the county hospital, where he now lies.

The best pill 'neath the stars and stripes; It cleanses the system and never gripes. Little Early Risers of worldly repute-

Ask for DeWitt's and take no sub-A small pill, easy to buy, easy to take | yield to medical treatment, and has clerk, and he was liberated, and in his homeward way rejoicing. In his homeward way rejoicing. It is a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by D. B. Spagnoli.

A small plin, easy to take yield to medical treatment, and has been gradually getting worse. He intended to say that he such that he intended to the liver, curing permanently. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

LOCAL MINING NEWS

For a good potatoe try Caminetti's Notes From Amador County Mines. To Work the Emmons Mine.

> KENNEDY .- Judge John F. Davis Kennedy Mining and Milling Company from the general land office at Washngton, a United States patent for Lot No. 88, the heretofore unpatented portion of the Clyde quartz lode mining claim. This clears up a tangle on title that has lasted for a long number of years. The directors have levied an assessment of \$1 per share to meet the judgment secured by the Argonaut, and also to pay for the vast improvements now nearing completion.

MINE SOLD .- Geo. W. Horn and G. S. Andrews have bought the Porteous mine, adjoining the Horn mine near Defender. The price paid was \$3000. Ore was taken out of the mine recently and shipped to Selby's for treatment, and the returns gave a value of \$100 per ton. A tunnel runs through the Porteous property to the Horn claim. The Horn has been idle for a few weeks, but arrangements have now been made to start up the tunnel, and push the same to the ore body which is believed to exist a few feet further. Geo. W. Horn was in Jackson Sunday. He is well satisfied at the outlook, having secured enough funds by the sale of stock to continue operations Evarts of Jackson is a master of the to the point where the ore values are

CLAIM BONDED.-John J. Cranmer has bonded from R. Webb and wife the quartz claim at Pine Grove known as the Emmons mine, situated about a quarter of a mile back of the Pine Fine assortment of wrappers, at Grove hotel. A shaft was sunk on the property in early days to the depth of 90 feet, and ore crushed which yielded what would be considered paying rates or erect a plant upon one you have bond- in those days. The term of the bond ed or own, upon the showing of the as- is two years, and the purchase price is \$4000, ten per cent of the gross proceeds Gladys Noce. taken when developing the property. of the ore crushed to be paid toward When ready for business the advice of the purchase price. The Cranmer boys, who have been operating a twochange your plans and save thousands stamp mill on the Blakely mine on Elsie creek, which is believed to be on the same vein as the Emmons mine, will start development work on the

ALMA.-F. C. Siebe, who is one of at his home in Upper Rancharia last the principal stockholders of the Alma mine, arrived in Jackson Wednesday. end was not unlooked for by his friends, A report was soon in circulation that as he had been confined to his bed for his visit here was to make arrangements to resume work, and also to pay leaves a wife and grown up family. the balance due on the purchase price. The remains were buried in the Vol- We learn from D. Mattley, the owner cano cemetery on Monday last, a large of the ground, that the balance on the purchase price is \$8000, and is due ing the body to his final resting place. April 5. This has not been paid, and Men's up-to-date summer shirts at no arrangements were made for its immediate payment. Mr. Mattley is not pressing its payment. He would they represent, or fraction thereof. have no objection to extending the term. There is no doubt however, that the company intends to complete the purchase, and resume work on the property. An assessment of 15 cents per share has been levied. Mr. Siebe

been working this mine near Middle property. The development work has not been pushed to the extent to satisfy them that a mine does not exist there. There is a strong gouge, but the gouge lacks some of the characteristics of the mother lode gouge. It was the inand so a shut down was decided upon. The prospecting has been done under superintendent of the Central Eureka, one of the most experienced practical men on the coast.

BUNKER HILL .- As an example of the timidity of capital to invest in mining operations in the face of the possi-This property has been developed to contract for that number of stamps, with the option of 20 more at the same orice, was let to a San Francisco firm. Dwing to the unsettled conditions in labor circles, word was sent to the firm to hold the order in abeyance pending further instructions. The prosecution of the work will depend upon developments. The labor union movement counts for little in Amador county at present. Nevertheless, ill-starred as be in active operation today were it not for the agitation of the labor question, the worst feature about which is that the prime movers are not the underground toilers themselves, mischief-breeders who never saw the

Strangely Affected.

David Quierolo of Mokelumne Hill, while handling a hammer and drill in years. A meeting was held in the academy building last Saturday to discuss the proposition. the Gwin mine one day last week, the spell came upon him, and he was obliged to quit work and go home and swelled considerably and was quite painful. At last accounts he was somegained the use of his arm.—Calaveras Citizen.

Rainfall. For the past week the rainfall in Jackson has been as follows: March 24..... March 26

Henry Garbarini has been suffering for several months from a gathering in Olives, salami, swiss, limburger the region of the ear. It refused to

"Valley Brew." Seldom equaled, never excelled. El Dorado Brewing Co., Stockton, Cal,

Republican County Committee

The members of the county central ommittee were called together in Jackson at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, to consult on party matters, and formulate some plan for future guidance. Besides the chairman, Dr. has succeeded in obtaining for the Herrick, there were present W. B. Phillips of Plymouth, F. Werner of Sutter Creek, Dr. Gall.

The vacancy caused by the resignation of C. H. Freeman was filled by the appointment of F. A. Duden, as one of ne committee for township one. There have been several petitions for

appointment presented to committee-men as individuals for signature. The main object of the conference was to adopt some settled policy in such matters. Frequently committeemen were averse to signing a document in their official capacity without knowing the sentiment of their brothers on the com-It was decided at the meeting to act in such matters only in concert and thereby avoid confusion and perhaps dissension. An executive committee was appointed consisting of the chairman and two members from town ship one and those in township four Those residing in Jackson will con stitute a quorum, and can take action in the absence of other members. This arrangement will simplify business, and avoid the necessity of calling the full committee together to determine the small details that arise from time to time in connection with party affairs

Birthday Surprise Party.

About thirty of Miss Catherine Hul bert's friends tendered her a very pleasant surprise in honor of her thir teenth birthday at her home at the Oneida mine on Friday evening, March 20th. The evening was spent in playing games and indulging in various pastimes until midnight, when all were seated and partook of delicious refresh ments. The morning hours had begun to dawn before the guests took their departure, all having spent a most enoyable evening. Those present were: Misses Catherine Hulbert, Albina, Lena and Emma Ratto, Etta and Millie Guisto, Emma and Louise Cassinelli Margaret Spears, Adeline White, Alma Devan, Dorsolina and Lena Raggio, Lola, Rebecca and Gertrude Thompson,

Messrs. Percy Thompson, Louis Raggio, Tony and John Perano, Jay, Leland and Harley Hulbert, Herbert Tucker, Walter Keffer, Emmett and John Noce, Mark Spinetti, Oliver and Mark Molignoni.

Mine Operators' Association

The California Mine Operators' Association was formally organized in San Francisco last Wednesday, its object being to foster, protect and develop the mining industry of the state. E. C. Voorheis of Sutter Creek was elected president; F. E. Bradley vice president. and Jas. E. Dye of Jackson secretary and treasurer. The executive committee of seven is composed of the fol-lowing: C. M. Belshaw, E. H. Ben-C. Kemp, David McClure and J. H. Mooser, all prominent mine operators At any meeting of the association, the members are entitled to one vote for

Killed by Stage Robber.

An attempt was made last Wednesday to hold up the Mendocino stage The robber shot messenger Overmyer, of Wells Fargo's express, dead, and fatally wounded two horses. SARGENT.—The parties who have stage continued on its way, and no Bar on a bond, offer the whole of the mitted by the same man who tried to machinery on the ground for sale. Stop the Ione stage two weeks ago. They have concluded to abandon the name is John A. Lemos, an ex-convict. believed he cannot escape capture. His description, taken from the prison

records, is as follows: Name, John A. Lemos; received, October 4, 1890; county, Mendocino; crime, robbery; term, five years; age, tention to run the north drift 200 feet further. Owing to the proximity to the Hardenburgh works, the miners were backward in undertaking the risk of tapping the water in these old works, large mouth, sharp chin, large, thick ears. Scars and deformities, scar from base thumb to back of left hand; scar the supervision of W. R. Thomas, the right little finger; mole center of breast; small scar right side head, near top. Date of discharge May 4, 1894.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long" writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexbility of labor trouble, no matter how andria, Ind., "and could hardly get any remote, we may cite the erection of the sleep. I had consumption so bad that proposed mill for the Bunker Hill, if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when This property has been developed to the point that the erection of a twenty-bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 stamp mill was decided upon at the last wholly cured me and I gained 58 meeting of the board of directors. A pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at D. B. Spagnoli's drug

Incorporated.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk last week of E. Ginocchio & Bro., the object being to the movement is, it has had, and is still having, a depressing effect upon the staple industry of the county. It is more than likely that several other enterprises in this neighborhood would Bro., and to continue the business of said copartnership in Jackson and elsewhere. The principal place of business is Jackson, the life of the corporation is to be fifty years. The directors for the first year are Julia Ginocchio, Rosalinda M. Ginocchio-Podesta, Adelina E. Ginocchio-Burgin, Henrietta A. Ginocchio-Eudey, Charles C Ginocchio, Enrico Marre and Andrea Piccardo The amount of capital stock is \$75,000 divided into 10,000 shares at \$7.50 each. The amount of stock subscribed is \$52.50, namely one share of stock for GLOBE * HOTEL. each of the above named stockholders and directors.

The Stomach Is the Man.

A weak stomach weakens the man,

pecause it cannot transform the food he eats into nourishment. Health and E. ANDERSEN, Proprietor. strength cannot be restored to any sick man or weak woman without first restoring health and strength to the stomach. A weak stomach cannot digest enough food to feed the tissues and revive the tired and run down limbs and organs of the body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cleanses, purifies, sweetens and strengthens the glands and membranes of the stomach, and cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Kerr's Pharmacy,

S. Myers returned from the city las evening, accompanied by his wife and child. They intend to settle permanently in Jackson.

Martin's cream and California cheese at Caminetti's Mkt. Drink El Dorado Brewing Co.'s

THE OLD RELIABLE

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

A Generous Act.

The J. P. Thomas estate is being

wound up by the administrator, G. A. Gritton. The claims are being paid off at the rate of about 15 cents on the dollar. An incident worthy of note in connection with this estate may here be mentioned. Mrs. M. E. Smith had a claim in the form of a note for \$200 and interest against the estate. In some unexplained manner the note was never filed as a claim against the estate, and Mrs. Smith, who is a widow. and can ill afford to stand the loss, was not aware of the situation until it was too late. In fact she did not know of he neglect until she heard that the claims were being paid, and she discovered that she was not among the claimants. It was no fault of Mr. Gritton, the administrator, as the note had never been placed in his hands. On the basis of settlement the amount that Mrs. Smith would have received had the claim been filed in time, would have amounted to between \$30 and \$40. Under the circumstances Mr. Gritton called on the lady last Saturday, and generously paid her \$20 out of his own commission in the estate. He was under no legal obligation to pay anything. His generous act was fully appreciated by Mrs. Smith, who had come to look upon the note as a com-

A Remarkable Case.

One of the most remarkable cases of cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing neumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I run down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Had to Swim for It.

Jim Boitano, who lives in the neighborhood of Middle Bar, is an expert horse-tamer. In this line he can't be beat by any one around these digexperience which he will long reace of bringing his professional career They are close on his trail, and it is to a close. He was mounted on a fractious colt, that had never carried a human being before. He was trying his steed on the water's edge of the Mokelumne river-little dreaming of any danger from the liquid element. Suddenly the animal in one of his bucking tantrums, turned a complete somersault over the bank, and horse and rider disappeared in a deep hole in the river. While under water, Boitano managed to disentangle himself from the stirrups, and scrambled out to dry land. The horse proved as much of an expert in swimming as in bucking, and reached the shore some distance from the scene of the plunge bath. Boitano will be careful hereafter about trying his skill in horsemanship in the vicinity of deep water.

Bad Indeed. Losing flesh is indeed a bad sign. Take Scott's Emulsion for it. For weak digestion, for defective nourishment, for consumption, take Scott's Emulsion. It restores flesh because it strikes to the cause of the loss.

Assessment Notice.

ALMA GOLD MINING COMPANY. Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California.

Location of works, Jackson, Amador County, California. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 18th day of March, 1903, an assessment (No. 10) of fifteen (15) cents per share, was lev-ied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the Com-pany, 330 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cali-fornia.

remain unpaid on the 27th day of April, 1903, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Monday, the 18th day of May, 1903, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale

By order of the Board of Directors.

HENRY H. PAULSEN, Secretary
Office - 330 Sansome street, San Francisco

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First-class in every Respect.

SAMPLE ROOMS connected with the house

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Good Meals, 25 Cents. The very best of service guaranteed to all AMADOR CITY.

AMADOR CITY, March 24. - Mrs. Fred Williamson of San Francisco, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hambley. She intends to stay for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerr of Angels Camp, visited relatives here a few days of last week.

Mrs. Edythe Clements, after spending a few days with her mother, returned to her home at the Gwin Tues-

Mrs. Williams and family of Sutter, spent Sunday in town with relatives. Miss Palmera White spent a few

days of last week in Sutter. Several of our townsmen attended the ball at Plymouth on Saturday last, and as usual had a jolly good time. Mr. and Mrs. F. Reeves returned from San Francisco Sunday, after a week's absence. Clarence Reeves also

came up for a brief visit. The Buchanan Theatre Company are playing here this week. They have been having a good attendance each evening, and their plays are thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Rev. Mr. Pratt, a Free Methodist reacher and lecturer, visited our town Sunday, filling the pulpit for both services

The Ruby Seal Secret Society met at the home of Freddie Setzer Saturday evening, and spent a very pleasant

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Oates on Thursday evening, March 19, when her daughter Annie was united in marriage to Leonard Reed. The bride was dressed in white organdie, and was attended by her sister, Miss Katie. The groom was attended by an old friend and companion, L. C. Fulcher. The bride is well known to all residents, having been raised from childhood in our midst, while the groom comes from an adjoining county. The happy couple will reside at Bunker Hill, Mr. Reed being employed as miner at the Fremont mine. The best wishes of the community are extended to them in E. Lois.

A Long Range Pistol. Sheriff Norman has recently provided

himself with one of the latest improved weapons. It is called the Parabellum Automatic pistol. It is a self-loading weapon of great power and range. It will shoot 2000 yards-nearly a mile and a quarter. The magazine holds eight cartridges, which with one in the barrel makes nine shots that can be fired in succession, as fast as the trigger can be pulled. In size it is but a trifle larger than the ordinary pocket pistol. A new feature about it is the scabbard. This can be used as a barrel, and when adjusted - the adjustment requiring but a second to accomplish-can be used like the ordinary rifle. It is in fact a pistol and rifle combined. This weapon is fast gaining in favor among sheriffs and other peace officers, on account of its compactness, efficiency, and simplicity.

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Overalls

PLYMOUTH, March 25. - A large crowd from all over the county was in attendance at the grand ball given in Shields' hall March 21. \$53.50 was the proceeds of the supper given for the benefit of Mr. Waters.

Miss Albena Levaggi, accompanied by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. B. Levaggi, left Sunday for San Francisco, where Miss Levaggi will

Lawrence Ball returned to Placerville Tuesday, to fill his position at the Ivy House. Mr. Kronning, who had! undergone

an operation several weeks ago, is able to sit up. Miss Laura Dugan is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Gault of Reno, Nevada, and the Misses Mabel and Olga Gerrans visited Sutter and Jackson last Sunday. Mrs. Peter Sevey jr. is here residing with her mother-in-law. Charlie Crain hurt his hand quite

severely last week. Mr. and Mrs. N. Porter of Latrobe, visited A. L. Wait and family last week.

Elmore Ayer returned to Reno Tuesday morning. The Buchanan show, which will make its appearance in town March 31, is looked for eagerly by the boys and

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enough when they were in their native

ing the fact that they did not even have

rudimentary eyes. When the fish were

taken out of the hot water and put in-

pose of being transported to the sur-

this is the only case on record of living

Passing a Plate In a Church

There was a very large congregation

and the rector seeing that there was

only one alms dish made signs to a rus-

tic from the chancel entrance to come

to him and bade him go into the rec-

tory garden through a glass door into

the dining room, where there had been

a slight refection before the service,

bring a dish from the table, take it

up the other and then bring it to the

started. The rustic disappeared, reap-

peared with the dish, took it as he was

ordered and presented it to the people

on either side of the aisle, and then ap-

proaching the rector whispered in his

ear: "I've done as yer told me, sir. I've

taken it down you side of the aisle and

up t'other-they'll none of 'em 'ave

empty the dish, and it was full of bis-

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fish being found in boiling water.

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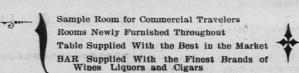
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rican prickly pear was gained on a visit to the market place of Algiers. formation enables them to attack and The fruit was handed to us, politely peeled by the Arab dealer, and thus as we made acquaintance with its delightful coolness no suspicion of its evil qualities entered our minds. A few days later, adding the excite-

ment of a little trespassing to the more legitimate pleasures of a country ramble, we came upon a well laden group of prickly pear bushes and could not resist the temptation to help ourselves to some of the fruit. The result was woeful. Concentrated essence of stinging net-

tle seemed all at once to be assailing

hands, lips and tongue, and our skin, wherever it had come in contact with the ill natured fruit, was covered with a thick crop of minute, bristly hairs, apparently growing from it, and venomous and irritating to the last degree. Our silk gloves, transformed suddenly into miniature robes of Nessus, had to be thrown away, perfectly unwearable, and the inadvertent use of our fully realized the extent of our misfortune caused fresh agonies, in which nose as well as lips participated. For many a day did the retribution of that | notion that it moved its upper jaw. theft haunt us in the form of myriads

The Invention of the Piano. The honor of inventing the piano is claimed by the English, the French and the Germans. Father Wood, an English monk at Rome, is said to have been the real inventor in 1711 and to have manufactured one, which be sold during the day, he runs up black balls to Samuel Crispi, the author of "Virginia," from whom it was purchased by Falke Greville, though Count Carli claims the credit for Bartholemmeo Christiforic of Padua during his stay in Florence some three years later Fighters' in Cosmopolitan. As soon (1714). The French attribute the invention to a Parisian named Marius, who, they alleged, produced in 1716 a harpsichord in which hammers had been substituted for the old plectrums or quills. The Germans are the last in | method is not conducive to quick time the field with J. C. Schroder of Dresden, who claimed (1717), when eighteen years of age, to have "constructed after much consideration the model of a new clavier with hammers, upon which he could play loudly or softly.'

The Most Remarkable Suicide. The most curious suicide in the annals of self destruction occurred at Chiquete, N. B., in the spring of 1890. Before committing the deed the self murderer, who was named W. R. T. Jones, dug his own grave and placed a rough coffin of his own handiwork at the bottom. The dirt from the opening was kept from rolling back into the excavation by boards held in place by a trigger to which a string was attached. Everything in readiness, the deliberate Mr. Jones, as subsequent developments revealed, got in the coffin, took a dose of poison and then pulled the string, burying himself beneath tons of earth. This has been put down as one of the most unique and successful cases of self destruction on record.

The Persian Army. The Persian army, according to Henry Savage Landor, the traveler, is a "painful sight," although there are been drilled by Russian officers. The shiftless lot. He asked permission to see the army drill. "We do not drill in summer; it's too hot," said the general. "Do you drill in winter?" it's too cold." "Are the troops, then, only drilled in the autumn and spring?" "Sometimes. They are principally drilled a few days before the shah's birthday, so that they may look well on the parade day before his majesty."

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF AGOSTINO CHICHIZOLA, DECEASED. OTICE is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Agostino Chichizola, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at the law office of John F. Davis, Summit street, Jackson, Amador county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Amador.

Dated January 23, 1903.

JULIUS CHICHIZOLA, Executor of the last will and testement of Agostino Chichizola, deceased.

Agos tino Chichizola, deceased, John F. Davis, attorney for administrator. jax3-5t

Crocodiles In Water

in their habits, and their peculiar conseize their prey unawares. Their nostrils, which lead by a long canal to the back part of their throats, their eyes and their ears are placed on the upper part of the head, so that when in the water they can breathe, see and hear, while they are themselves practically invisible. When they dive, their nostrils and ears are closed by lids or valves, and their eyes are covered by a transparentnictitating membrane. They are further furnished with an arrange ment which prevents the water from getting down their own throats when they are holding large animals under

The dentition of these reptiles is po culiar. The teeth are sharp and con ical and are hollow at the base, and each tooth serves as the sheath of another, which will in time replace it. The tongue-for notwithstanding the ancient belief the crocodile does pos sess a tongue—is fleshy and is attached to the bottom of the mouth. And finalpocket handkerchiefs before we had ly the lower jaw is hinged at the very back of the skull, thus giving the animal its extraordinary gape and also the peculiar appearance which caused the

the water to drown them.

Curious Fire Alarms. of tiny stings.—"Home Life on an Osengine house.

Changed His Mind.

their proud papas. Recently Binks met "Hello, Jinks! What do you think my girl said this morning? She's the

Jinks shied. "Excuse me, old man!" he exclaimed. "I'm on my way to keep an engagement. Some other time"-"She said, 'Papa, that Mr. Jinks is

haw, haw! How's that for precocity,

In Holland. Journal.

A Giant Emperor. peror, could twist coins into corkscrews, powder hard rocks between his fingers and do other seemingly impossible things. When angered, he often broke the jaw of a horse or the skull of an ox him for a ring, and every day he ate

amphora of wine.

The crocodiles are thoroughly aquatic

In St. Petersburg the arrangement of fire alarms is rather peculiar and de cidedly unique, and the fire alarm telegraph is an unknown thing. Instead a fireman is at all times in the tower of the city hall, and he watches the surrounding city to catch the first glimps of a fire. When a fire is discovered on the top of the tower as signals; at night red lanterns are used. The num ber of the balls or lanterns shows the district or ward in which the fire i located, says a writer on "Foreign Fire as the signal is seen by the man on duty at the engine house he rings bell outside, which calls together the members of the company, who may be scattered over a couple of blocks. This in reaching the scene, and from twenty minutes to half an hour is good work unless the fire happens to be near an

Jinks, like other men, has a horror of infant prodigies as exploited by

brightest four-year-old in town. She said"

the handsomest man I know.' Haw,

And Jinks replied: "Binks, I'm a little early for my engagement. That youngster certainly is a bright one. Come into this toy store and help me select a few things that will please a girl of her taste, and I'll send them to her, if you don't mind."-New York Times.

Good Paste.

Not every man can make a good flour paste that can be preserved without some good Cossack cavalry which has decay or mold. When such a paste is needed, try the following: Mix good, infantry, however, is a ragged, lazy, clean flour with cold water into a thick paste and continue mixing until the flour and water are well blended. Now add boiling water and stir until it is thin enough to spread with a brush. Add to this a spoonful or two of brown sugar, a little corrosive sublimate and a few drops of oil of lavender and you will have a paste that will hold with wonderful tenacity.

Many of the country dames and damsels in Holland look as if they had been brought up on soap and water. Their faces glisten so preternaturally, their witness so unmistakably to their cleansing ardor. I suppose a fly in the butter they were churning or a mired foot on the boards they have but just scrubbed would be as nearly likely to give them a fit as anything could be.-Chambers

Maximinus, the giant Roman em-

patterns. Some of these works thus ornamented are so rare and beautiful that even in China they cost fabulous He Forgave the Bishop. A certain bishop, an ardent advocate of teetotalism, found one of his flock, to whom he had preached for years, leaning in helpless drunkenness against a "Wilkins!" cried the bishop, inexpressibly shocked. "Oh, Wilkins! You

other side Wilkins pulled himself together and hiccoughed after him: "Bishop, bishop!" The bishop hastened back in the hope of hearing a resolution of repentance. "Bishop, if you are really sorry I for A Bird Much Like a Fish. The "birds of a feather" that "flock together" do not belong to the penguin family, as they are entirely destitute of feathers, having for a covering a kind of stiff down. Another penguin peculiarity is that it swims not on, but under, water, never keeping more than its head out and when fishing coming to the surface at such brief and rare intervals that an ordinary observer would almost certainly mistake it for a

I am sorry!"

Discouraging. "My dear sir," wrote the editor to the persistent young author, "in order to simplify matters somewhat we are inclosing a bunch of our 'declined with thanks' notices. If you will put one of these in an envelope with your manuscript and mail it to yourself, it will make it easier for all of us, and you will be saving something in postage as well."—Chicago Post.

Goldfish. There are some goldfish in Washing ton which belonged to the same family for the last fifty years, and they seem no bigger and no less vivacious today than they did when they first came in to the owner's possession. A few of the fish in the Royal aquarium in St. Petersburg are known to be 150 years

Depressing. "Were there laughter and cheers dur ing your speech?"

"Well," answered the youthful states man, "there weren't many cheers, but now and then people in the audience looked at one another and laughed."-Washington Star.

A Case of Necessity. Mrs. Smith-We missed you so much

at our party! Mrs. Jones-And I was so vexed when I couldn't come! You see, our cook had company unexpectedly, and she needed us to fill out the card tables.-Detroit

hat ruin us.-Franklin. Retrospection.

A Scotchman had two sons, one of whom was a doctor and the other a clergyman, of whom he was very proud. "If I had kent." said he. "that pots and pans, the red tiles of their ane of my sons was to be a medical floors, their tables and benches all bear man and the other a meenister, I would never hae had auld Jenny McCosh for their mither."

> Doctors Make No Mistakes. Patient-But, doctor, only last week you said I would surely die, and today you see I am as well as I ever was. Doctor-Sir, I never make a mistake in a diagnosis. Your ultimate demise is only a matter of time. - Chicago News.

M. E. Church Services Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30

. m. Sunday school, 2 p. m.; Senior Epworth with his fist. His wife's bracelet served Thursday, 7:30 p. m.; Midweek Prayer meetings Rev. G. H. Van Vliet, pastor. sixty pounds of meat and drank an Old Judge whiskey. Try it, and you will want no other.

Historic Conflagrations.

A list of great cities burned would be a list of nearly all the great capitals of fish ever made on this continent was the world. Persepolis, the splendid resthat made at Carson City, Nev., in idence of a long series of rulers whose 1876. At that time both the Hale and Iributary provinces extended from the Norcross and the Savage mines were Indus to the Hellespont, was burned, down to what is known as the "2,200 with all its palaces and temples; Babylon and Carthage were so utterly deerranean lake of boiling water was stroyed that their very location has beapped. This accident flooded both come a matter of doubt. Rome was mines to a depth of 400 feet. After this burned eight times, Jerusalem four times, and, though they rose from their that which had gathered in basins and shes,

in the inaccessible portions of the The second temple is not like the first. works, and when the water still had Athens, Syracuse, Bagdad, Alexandria and Antioch now exhibit only a shadow of their former grandeur. The Phonicians, like the Spartans and Aspearance they somewhat resembled the syrians, disappeared with the ruin of their capitals, but the most fateful conflagration recorded in the history of the world is perhaps that of Moscow. "They talk as if the fate of Europe had been decided at Waterloo," says

element-boiling water-notwithstand-De Bourienne in his memoirs of the first empire. "If Napoleon had beaten to buckets of cold water for the pur-Wellington and Blucher a dozen times, it could not have retrieved the reverses of the three preceding years. The truth face, they died as quickly as a perch or a bass would if plunged into a kettle is that the French Cæsar and his forof water that was scalding hot; not tune were ruined by the burning of only this, but the skin peeled off exact- Moscow. That city was the funeral pile of the great nation." Eyeless fish are common enough in

all subterranean lakes and rivers, but Every fiber and every cell that enters into the formation of a living body is bathed in moisture, by which means alone these ultimate elements are kept alive and are enabled to carry out their duties. Even the bones, which appear to be the most solid of all, owe more than half their weight to the presence of fluid.

> That our bodies contain a large amount of fluid is proved in a striking manner by the blisters which rise after the infliction of a burn.

Water, in fact, plays a very impor down one side of the north aisle and tant part in the human anatomy, for it is through its agency that the vital clergyman at the place from which he processes of digestion, absorption and the excretion of waste products are carried out.

To reduce the whole matter to figures and taking 154 pounds to be the total weight of an average full grown man, it is said that water alone accounts for 109 pounds of the whole.

Wanted a Chinese Song, Most of the policemen in Australia are Irishmen, whose genius for humorous blundering loses nothing of its qual-By softening shellac with heat it Ity under the Southern Cross. Here is may be drawn out and twisted into alan instance: Many Chinese names are reminiscent of a burlesque and are probably merely barbarian caricatures Chinese works of art by the use of of the originals. Of these Fong Fat shellac. Some of them are very ancient Ah Su and Ah Foo are the most com-

> A newly appointed crier in a county court was ordered by the judge in a case in which a Chinese was witness to call for Ah Song. The son of Erin looked puzzled and darted a look at the bench to try to discover if this was a colonial joke; but, seeing the judge as grave as an undertaker, he turned to the audience and blandly inquired, "Gintlemen, will any of you favor his honor with a song?"

Why Grass Grows Hollow. The stems of grass and oats are usually hollow, and the knots of nodes which occur at intervals and which have a peculiar degree of firmness, derived from the interlacing of fibers, give them a firmness and strength in this state! I am sorry; I am sorry; which they would otherwise lack. It the material of wheat straw were in a wiry stem, which would snap with great ease, but in the hollow form, with the intervening knots, the neces sary support is afforded.

> Blessed With a Wife. A former vicar of a country parish not far from Sheffield was a gentleman distinguished for his learning and for the position he took at Cambridge. One day a visitor to the village got into conversation with one of the parishioners. and the talk turned to the vicar. "Your clergyman," said the visitor,

"is a very able man. Why, he is a wrangler.' "I never heard that," was the reply from each and in which there is not of the villager, "but his missis is."-London Tit-Bits.

The Law of Falling Bodies. All falling bodies, whether they b crystal raindrops or meteorites, fall with what philosophers term "a uniform accelerated motion"-in other words, if a body be moving at a certain velocity at the expiration of one second from the beginning of its fall it will be moving with twice that velocity at the expiration of two seconds, gaining in speed at a uniform rate throughout the course of its fall.

Unappreciated.

"He's not what you would call strictly handsome," said the major, beaming through his glasses on a baby as he lay howling in his mother's arms, "but it's the kind of face that grows on you." "It's not the kind of face that grew on you!" was the indignant and unex-

pected reply of the fond mother. "You'd

A Full Hand. "John," said Mrs. Norton as she seated herself at the hotel breakfast table, 'did you call a waiter?" "Yes," said Norton, looking up from

be better looking if it had!"

his paper. "I called him, and he had a Feminine Conversation.

Blobbs-Women talk about nothing but their dress. Slobbs-Oh, I don't know. It seem to me I've heard some of them talk about their hats.-Philadelphia Record.

If He Only Could. Mrs. Noorich-Isn't it grand to ride in your own carriage? Mr. Noorich-Yes, but I'd enjoy it more if I could stand on the sidewalk

The eyes of other people are the eyes and see myself ride by .- Brooklyn Life.



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The Banks of Newfoundland. The finest codfish in the world are caught on the banks of Newfoundland These banks have no connection with the shores of the islands, from which indeed the nearest is almost 100 miles distant. They are really great rocky heights rising from the bottom of the sea. The great bank measures 540 miles from north to south, and from east to west it measures in places 300 miles. On this bank the depth of water varies from 50 to 360 feet, but the depth around it is from 10,000 to 150,-000 feet.

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Curry is native to India. It is a con course of atoms, not fortuitous, but as

a marvelous result of the Hindoo subtlety, judgment and taste, as Nirvana and the transmigration of souls are of ealer inthe subtlety, philosophy and attractive-ness of the Buddhistic belief. Curry is a vegetable; rather curry is vegetables. poppy seeds, allspice, almonds, asafetida, ghee, cardamom seeds, chili berries. cinnamon, cloves, cocoanut, cocoanut milk, oil, curds, fenugreek seeds, an In-

ger, lime juice, vinegar, mace, mangoes, nutmeg, pepper, saffron, salt, tamarinds and turmeric. These are all pounded together, dried in an oven or in the sun. When bottled, it is the powder which comes to us as Indian curry. Now, is it not worth admiring the wit and skill that have brought together such a number of ingredients and out of them have evolved an article so entirely different

dian nut I can't spell, garlic, onion, gin-

one elementary trace?-Harper's. Uninsured Treasures. It is startling to think that while al most any tradesman's shop that might be burned down is covered by insurance the British museum, if it were burned down tomorrow, would not cost the insurance companies one halfpen ny. Neither would the houses of par Hament. They stand for £3,000,000, but not one single sovereign of this vast sum is covered by insurance. Three thousand pounds a year is spen on a force of police and firemen to protect the houses of parliament by day and night, and the British museum pays the rent of a fireman's house in Coram street, but that is the full cost of the precautions against fire in these places. The British museum, believing that prevention is better than cure, has no artificial light on its innermost re-

Chemistry of a Tear. A tear from the eye of a representative of the Caucasian races is found to

cesses.-St. James Gazette.

be composed of water, salt, soda, phosphate of lime, phosphate of soda and mucus. From the eye of an African the elements composing the tear are found to be the same as the above, with the single exception of the phos phate of soda and with the addition of a slight trace of ammonia. The Eskimos and the fishing Finns seldom shed tears, but when they do chemists say they are exceedingly salty. The chemical elements in the Cauca-

sian tear arrange themselves into par ticles that look like fish bones, those from a negro's tear form a rude cross while the same process of evaporation leaves the chemicals in an Eskimo's tear in the shape of a bow.

Missed a Good Dinner. A doctor living in a certain country town was notoriously fond of good living. He had accepted an invitation to dine with friends, but as he climbed their steps he smelt venison cooking in the kitchen next door.

The neighbors being also his friends he resolved to drop in on them unexpectedly to partake of the venison. They pressed him to share their informal dinner, but when he refused both soup and fish his host began to apologize for the simple fare. The doctor then confessed that he

was waiting for the venison, which he had smelt as he came in.
"Oh, that venison," said his enter-

tainer, "we were roasting to oblige our neighbors, who have a dinner party next door."-London Answers. The Main Thing.

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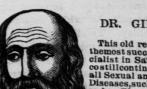
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